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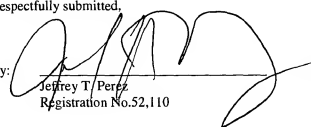
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Number of Claims	45	44	1	\$ 18.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 18.00
Independent Claims	4	3	1	\$ 84.00	\$ 42.00	\$ 84.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims				\$ 280.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 0.00
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Introductory Comments

In response to the Office Action mailed on February 13, 2003 please find below Applicants' comments and amendments as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Please cancel claims 2, 12 and 13 without prejudice or disclaimer to the subject matter therein in. Please amend claims 1, 14, 16, 21, 22, 25-27, 32 and 39 and add a new claims 45-48. Following this amendment claims 1, 3-11 and 14-48 will be pending.

Applicants believe the claims as amended and discussion which follow address the Examiner's remaining concerns regarding the 35 U.S.C. § 112, 2nd ¶, 35 U.S.C. § 102, and 35 U.S.C. § 103 rejections and invite the Examiner to telephone and discuss any discrepancy in the interest of advancing the prosecution of the application.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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